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## TIGERS ARE CHAMPIONS

Easily Winning Local Tournament By Consistent Bowling--Individual Averages.

### HOW THEY FINISHED.

	G.	W.	L.	P.	C.	A.
Tigers.....	45	30	15	667	706	
Owls.....	45	24	21	583	750	
Cubs.....	45	21	24	466	733	
Barrens.....	45	17	28	377	728	

The bowling tournament which has been running for the past two months closed last Thursday evening and the Tigers were easy winners and are now the local champions. Their victory was deserved, as throughout the tournament they consistently rolled the best games and averaged seven pins more to the game than their nearest rival, the Owls.

The following are the leaders: Tiesch, captain; Chaney, Wisecup, Bennett, Coffman and Ballentine. The Tigers also carried off the prize for high team average for three games with an average of 843 and Chaney, of that team, had high average for a series of three games with 192.

John Winegardner, of the Ravens, rolled the high score of the tournament, totaling 252 pins in one game. This is also the alley record.

The individual averages follows:

	GAMES.	AVERAGE.
Granville Barrers, Owls.....	45	162
Chaney, Tigers.....	45	158
Walker, Owls.....	45	157
Bennett, Tigers.....	45	154
Geo. Barrers, Owls.....	39	153
Wisecup, Tigers.....	36	150
Chas. Swinehart, Ravens.....	36	154
Winegardner, Ravens.....	27	154
Tiesch, Tigers.....	43	153
Beecher, Owls.....	36	153
Branner, Cubs.....	17	151
Vanzant, Cubs.....	45	150
Stanley, Cubs.....	44	150
C. Swinehart, Ravens.....	42	150
Holt, Cubs.....	40	148
Coffman, Tigers.....	30	148
Blount, Cubs.....	40	148
Ballentine, Cubs.....	27	144
Hill, Cubs.....	31	144
Nickerson, Ravens.....	16	143
Roush, Ravens.....	42	143
Carey, Owls.....	41	140
Scarborough, Ravens.....	42	140
Wedding, Ravens.....	16	134
Underwood, Owls.....	19	133
Namden, Cubs.....	18	127

## Jose. Head Temporary Postmaster.

Joseph Head was selected by the boardmen of the late S. N. Patton to act as postmaster until an appointment is made to fill the vacancy.

Under the law the boardmen of a postmaster of an office of this class, upon the death of the postmaster, shall meet at once and select some one to act until the appointment is made by the president.

On Monday evening John Hultt, R. B. Fairley, Charles E. Brown, Judge T. M. Watts, J. A. McCoppin and Joseph Head, who were Mr. Patton's boardmen, met and selected Joseph Head as temporary postmaster.

## Patterson Examination.

An examination of students under the Patterson law will be held at the Washington school building next Saturday, April 17, beginning at 8 o'clock a. m.

## Methodist Church.

Morning subject—"How God's Diamonds are Polished."  
Evening subject—"How One Man was Fooled in a Real Estate Deal."  
Epworth League at 6 o'clock.

## Falls From Telephone Pole.

Ernest McNicol, by the breaking of a cross arm on a telephone pole on which he was working at Springfield, fell to the street, receiving serious injuries about the chest and stomach. No bones were broken but dangerous internal injuries are feared.

Mr. McNicol has been in the employ of the Bell Telephone Co. for several years and left here about a month ago to work for it in Springfield.

He came here yesterday morning and was taken to the home of his father, John McNicol, of Fall Creek. He is about 27 years of age.

## Easter Services.

A beautiful Easter Day was beautifully celebrated at the morning services at the Methodist church. Mrs. R. A. Haynes and Miss Jessie Barrett showed their artistic ability in the very effective floral decoration. A choir of seventeen voices sang splendidly a number of anthems. Hillsboro Methodists might well be called conservative in their long long use of the "Old Easter Anthem," but the congregation heard it again with the same great appreciation. It is a song that is ever new and young and old together count the hearing of it the chief pleasure of the Easter service. Rev. J. R. Colley gave a most effective sermon on the "Resurrection" and the parable of the two bulbs was beautifully suggestive of the life promised to all true Christians. Mrs. Ethel B. Schneider, with her clear true soprano voice, delighted the congregation both morning and evening.

## Marriage Licenses.

Jesse T. Metzger, Dayton and Nellie B. Cameron, Marshall.  
Carey McConaughoe, Lynchburg and Mary Weisaupt, Lynchburg.  
Emile Schoone, Cincinnati and Edith Hurless, Greenfield.

## S. N. PATTON DEAD

Postmaster and Former County Recorder and Sheriff Passed Away Monday Afternoon.

Had Been Ill a Long Time--Leaves Many Friends--Funeral Services at the Residence at 2:30 Wednesday.

Samuel N. Patton died at his home here Monday afternoon after a long illness.

He had for the last 21 years been a resident of this place and had taken a prominent part in business and political affairs, having been several times elected to county offices and holding the position of postmaster at the time of his death.

Mr. Patton was possessed of an unusually bright and pleasant disposition and no one could see the humorous side of things more quickly than he. He was quick and apt at repartee but his wit was always free from the sting of malice or hatred. He was singularly lenient to the faults of others and always saw the good rather than the bad in those with whom he came in contact.

The funeral services were held from the late residence Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, conducted by the Rev. W. B. Dunham, of the Presbyterian Church. Interment was made in the Hillsboro Cemetery.

The following sketch of his life was read at the funeral:

The subject of this brief sketch, Samuel N. Patton, son of Joseph V. and Jane Fairley Patton, was born in what is known as the Fall Creek neighborhood, on the 3rd day of October, 1847, and died at his home in Hillsboro, Ohio, April 12, 1909, aged 61 years. He grew to manhood and became a man of influence among the acquaintances of his youth. It can be truly said that, "Those who knew him best loved him most." He was married to Miss Margaret Elliott, May 10, 1872.

Four children are living, two sons, Stanley and Richard, and two daughters, Jane and Margaret. All were with their father at his death except his son, Stanley, who was compelled to return to his home in the west a few weeks ago.

The Bible declares that it is appointed unto all men once to die; it also declares "that after death the judgment." It is not for us to say what is the final destiny of any one; but the "Book" does say "By their fruits ye shall know them." And, taking this declaration of scripture as our guide in forming an estimate of our deceased brother, we are free to say, "All is well." Let us leave the balances in the hands of "One" who is "Love," and who "doeth all things well."

Much could be said of the life and energy of the deceased. S. N. Patton came to Hillsboro as an official, selected by his constituents to fill the office of County Recorder. In that office his sterling qualities were manifested and he was chosen Sheriff of this county serving two terms in each office.

At the time of his death he was postmaster in Hillsboro. Amid all these duties which assume something of a political character, let us remember, that Mr. Patton had been here for years and up to the time of his death, a trusted and efficient officer in his church, the First Presbyterian Church of Hillsboro, Ohio.

This is the record which his church, and this community, are only too glad to testify to as the acts of a Christian man, an upright citizen, a good neighbor.

Let us not question the Master's dealings. Leaning on Faith here, we know that all will be made clear hereafter.

"Then farewell dear friends--  
Thou art gone from our sight,  
To the Land of the Dead--  
Sweet home of the soul!  
Where the presence of God  
That giveth the light,  
And the strength of thy virtue  
And manhood unfold."

## Worthington Case Continued.

Circuit Court adjourned at noon yesterday.

The Worthington case was continued to the next term.

The judgment in the lower court in the Stout case was affirmed.

The judgment of the lower court in the case of Owen West, trustee, vs. L. E. Diehl was affirmed.

The case of Smith vs. Bowles was continued.

William Elliott, of Columbus, Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Patton and Burch Elliott, of Greenfield, were here to attend the funeral of S. N. Patton Wednesday.

## THROUGH COACH

To Cincinnati and Improved Service Over B. & O. Result of Meeting Here Friday.

Hillsboro is to have a through passenger coach to Cincinnati on the B. & O. as a result of a meeting of the State Railroad Commissioners, Gen. O. H. Hughes, J. C. Sullivan and O. P. Gethlin, and General Passenger Agent O. P. McCarty and Supt. Edward Scovill of the B. & O. R. R. and a number of our leading citizens at the Hotel Parker last Friday.

The meeting was the result of complaints made by our citizens on the passenger service furnished on the Hillsboro Branch of the B. & O. in the hope of adjusting matters.

The character of the service that has been furnished on the branch is well known to all Hillsboro people. The officials of the B. & O. claimed that the service was all the patronage merited and presented figures showing that they only carried on an average four and a fraction passengers from here to Cincinnati each day and that the passenger business was not paying.

It is a well known fact that the Hillsboro Branch is one of the best paying parts of the B. & O. system and Lyman Beecher asked if a community which by reason of its freight and traffic business made a railroad a good paying investment did not deserve some consideration in its passenger service for that reason. The railroad officials claimed not. Further they admitted that in figuring the passenger business as a losing one they did not give any credit to the branch as a feeder to the main lines.

The representatives of the road did agree to put on a first class passenger coach which is to go through to Cincinnati and a smoker by May 1 and to make the time of departure for the morning train at a later hour.

While it would seem that Hillsboro deserves better treatment than this from the B. & O. any improvement over the present service will be welcomed.

Col. L. B. Boyd, who was mainly instrumental in bringing about the meeting and securing this needed improvement, deserves the thanks of every traveler over the branch.

## Interscholastic Field Meet.

The Central Ohio Interscholastic Athletic League has arranged to hold its annual spring field meet at Washington, C. H., May 22.

There will be fourteen track and field events, the same as usually take place.

Prof. John B. Conard, of the local high school, was recently elected president of the league: Vice-President, W. H. Rice, Chillicothe; Secretary, Ray Harris, Greenfield; Treasurer, Herman Swinehart, Washington, C. H.

## Probate Court Proceedings.

Wm. Coffman elected to take under will of Delilah Coffman.

W. C. Oliver admr of J. L. Newman, filed first and final account.

Alva Roush filed affidavit of feeble-mindedness against Inez Roush.

Will of Frank Durnell filed and probated.

Sarah F. Durnell appointed exrx of Frank Durnell.

Will of Mathes Arnott probated.

Anna M. Duke appointed gdn of Glenn Duke et al.

Chas. W. Hauke exr of Chas. Hauke, filed application to invest funds of estate.

Ardelia Holladay exrx of Henry Rhoades, filed application to invest funds of estate.

Jesse N. Rhodes and Perlie E. Rhodes admrs of Elizabeth M. Rhodes, filed inventory and appraisal.

E. H. Miller et al exrs of Thos. S. McGarraugh, filed first and final account.

G. A. Pavey gdn of Edmund Van Pelt, filed petition to sell real estate.

It is reported that John R. McLean will start an evening newspaper in Cincinnati in the near future, independent in politics but leaning toward the Republican party. The new paper, the rumor goes, will be published in an addition to the present Enquirer building, which will be erected at once.

George Cupp, a farmer of near Lebanon, concluded he wanted a wife, sold his farm and taking \$1,300 in good coin went to Urbana, where he applied to a matrimonial agency for aid in securing one. He was directed to Flint, Mich., where he received a letter from Mrs. Myrtle Le Bland, a pretty name, and he found she was stopping at his hotel. They met and agreed to marry, and the farmer intrusted with her \$1,300 until the following day, the wedding day. Myrtle did not wait, but penned him a line that she had gone to Saginaw on business. No doubt that was true.

## SHORT AND INEXPENSIVE

Was the April Session of the Grand Jury--Only One Indictment Returned.

The April grand jury convened Monday and reported the same day. Only one case came before it in which six witnesses were examined. This was against Rev. Isaac Williams for defamation of the character of Kate E. Elliott. He was indicted for criminal slander. He is a son of James A. Williams.

The grand jury then examined the jail and reported everything in good condition and all laws complied with.

This is the shortest and most inexpensive session of a grand jury ever held in this county. The entire cost, including jury, witness and mileage fees, being only \$50.20.

## Permanent Chautauqua.

There will be a Chautauqua held here this summer. The local managers will be Supt. W. E. Arter and Prof. N. B. LaMonda.

Supt. Arter last week signed a contract with one of the leading Chautauqua Bureaus.

The Chautauqua is to be made a permanent affair and with men of the caliber of Supt. Arter and Prof. LaMonda in charge, the attractions offered are certain to be of a high class and worthy the support of the entire community.

The time for holding the Chautauqua has not been fixed but will probably be sometime in July or August. The grounds have not been selected but they will be easy of access.

## HAWKEYE ZEPHYR

Pays a Visit to the Home of Rev. I. W. Jarnigan, Who Describes Its Appearance and Results.

The following account of experience with a cyclone is from Rev. I. W. Jarnigan, formerly of this county, now of Newton, Iowa:

"I promised you, some time ago, that I would send you reminiscences of some of the Iowa cyclones of the past few years. At that time little did I think that I would have an opportunity so soon to give a short history of one of those monsters in which I was personally interested--in Sherman township, Jasper county, Iowa--but such is the case.

"On last Tuesday, April 6, about noon, the western horizon filled with a dark threatening cloud extending from southwest to northwest, passing the northwestern point to the north. The cloud moved to the northwest at great speed, accompanied by heavy peals of thunder. About five miles northwest of us it halted heavily. At 1:30 p. m. the cloud divided at a point southwest, the south limb moving off in a southwesterly course, in regular cyclone style, on a line about eighty rods east of my residence, destroying two or three barns and outbuildings on the line of its beginning.

"Just then our attention was called to the northwest by a heavy roaring, when with astonishment we beheld another monster approaching from that direction. In less time than you could say 'Jack Robinson' it was upon us, covering us, a width of about forty rods, sending some buildings to ruin and drifting the wire fences full of debris with such weight that the wire or posts were forced to yield. This line passed my buildings 100 feet to the south, then turned directly east, joining the other line eighty rods east of me, leaving my house and barn unharmed, but catching a neighbor on the east who was sowing oats with a four horse team and drill and drifted them into a wire fence. The driver remained on the premises by hugging a post tightly while the team took care of itself.

"The twin monster also visited the next neighbor northeast, relieving him of his kitchen and small buildings, leaving the main house and barn unharmed, then, driving into a forty acre piece of timber, left a path of destruction. The next neighbor suffered the loss of a barn and all small buildings, leaving his house without chimneys and windows on the storm side.

"On it went with its destruction until it had traversed a score of miles, then took wings and left the earth, much to the relief of a nervous and scared people. Strange to report, no lives were lost, man or beast. It was certainly a grand sight to look upon by persons who had the nerve."

Judge T. E. Scroggy is a man of excellent judgment. He made a ten-strike when he invested in Tulsa real estate and he did almost as well when he bought seven beach lots at San Diego, Cal., for \$700 each. These beach lots are now rated at \$2,000 each.--Xenia Herald.

## FALL FESTIVAL

Is Up to the General Public, Whose Views Are Sought by Committee Appointed.

Sentiment is Believed Overwhelmingly Favorable, but General Co-operation and Assistance Will be Required.

Is Hillsboro to have another Fall Exposition?

The question is yet unanswered, but it is a safe bet that we'll have one.

At a mass meeting of citizens held at the court house Tuesday evening, over which Hon. G. L. Garrett presided and of which Dr. J. C. Larkin was the secretary, the chairman was authorized to appoint a committee to investigate as to the views of the general public regarding the advisability of the undertaking and report at a meeting to be held at the same place and hour next Tuesday evening, April 20. Chairman Garrett has since announced the personnel of the committee as follows: Col. D. Q. Morrow, Miss Nan Bowles, F. F. Stevens, A. Matthews and A. W. Underwood.

It is evident that no one opposes the project, and the great success with which that of last year met is considered an additional incentive to going ahead with it. There seems, however, to be a slight hesitancy among some of those who did such valiant service last fall to again immolate themselves on the altar of public weal. Or, perchance, they got enough glory out of the former effort to last more than a year.

However, it is a poor guesser who thinks the success of last autumn will not be duplicated or eclipsed next fall. The sentiment of all classes heartily favors the project, and those willing to put their shoulders to the wheel and do the work evidently only want an expression of this sentiment. Our neighbors throughout the county are expecting it and would--as Grocer Hetherington said at the meeting Tuesday evening--be greatly disappointed should the project, for any reason, be abandoned.

Those in favor of getting bus and giving another demonstration of Hillsboro's progressive proclivities should get in communication with some member of the committee named above and express their views. And, by the same token, those opposing should say "no." But it is a safe bet that the "ayes" will have it unanimously.

When this announcement is made next Tuesday evening, as doubtless it will, everybody should begin to work for the next Hillsboro Fall Festival and Highland County Exposition. This is an enterprise to the success of which no one is too humble to contribute. Everybody can "boost."

## Presbyterian Church.

Preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Morning Sermon:--"Visions and Truths."

Evening Sermon:--"Jesus Dealing with Doubt."

## Death of W. T. Boatman.

W. T. Boatman, aged about 60, a prominent farmer of Penn township, died suddenly at his home at Morrow's Cross Roads Tuesday morning from heart failure. While he had been a sufferer with heart disease for several years his death was unexpected. He leaves a wife and five grown children. The funeral services will be held at the late residence at 3 o'clock this afternoon, conducted by his cousin, Rev. W. M. Patton, of Yellow Springs. Interment will be made in the Fall Creek cemetery.

## DIED IN CALIFORNIA

Former Resident of this County Passed Away at Pasadena--Burial Here Today.

Henry N. Henderson on Wednesday received the sad intelligence of the death of his mother, Mrs. Amanda Henderson, which occurred that morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. F. Bangham, in Pasadena, California. She and her daughter, Elizabeth, left Wilmington last October for an indefinite stay with Mrs. Bangham, at Pasadena. For ten years previous to that she had made her home with her son, H. N. Henderson, of this place.

Mrs. Henderson was 78 years old. While a young woman she came with her family from Virginia and located near Hillsboro, Ohio. She was married to Edward Brewer and spent the greater part of her life near Hillsboro. Some years after Mr. Brewer's death she married Christopher Henderson who died thirty-three years ago. Six children survive: Elbert and Edward Brewer, of Hillsboro; Miller Brewer, of Pocomoke City, Md.; Elizabeth Brewer and Mrs. W. F. Bangham, of Pasadena, Cal., and H. N. Henderson, of Wilmington. Miss Elizabeth will accompany the remains of her mother, leaving Pasadena Saturday and arriving at Hillsboro Wednesday morning. The funeral will be held Thursday at Hillsboro.--Clinton Republican.

## Notice.

Whoever has my 4x5 Camera with carrying case and 4 plate holders, please return to Phil Weyrich and no questions asked.

## Cemetery Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the annual election for two trustees will be held at the store of Jacob Saylor, on the second Tuesday of May, being the 11th day of May, 1909, hours from 2 to 4 o'clock p. m.

W. A. MORROW, Secretary.  
Hillsboro, Ohio, April 1, 1909.

## Bishop Vinton at St. Mary's Episcopal Church.

The Rt. Rev. Boyd Vincent, bishop of this diocese, will visit St. Mary's Episcopal Church Friday evening for the purpose of administering the Apostolic rite of Confirmation on a class of candidates to be presented at that time. Services at 7:30. Everybody cordially invited.

## Baptist Church.

Sunday School at 9 o'clock.

Preaching at 10:30. Sermon:--"The Secret to Certain Success."

In the evening the B. Y. P. U. will meet at 8:15 with Clarence Vance. Topic:--"Madame Fuller and her Work." The B. Y. P. U. has recently re-organized and are pushing forward.

Preaching service at 7 o'clock. Subject:--"God's Marvelous Preparation." Music will be a special feature of all our services.

The help of the Hillsboro Orchestra last Sunday night was highly appreciated. All are cordially invited.

## Annual Parish Meeting.

At the Parish meeting at St. Mary's Episcopal Church Monday night, the following warden and vestry were elected:

Wardens--J. M. Boyd and L. B. Boyd.

Vestry--G. B. Beecher, Daniel Morgan, Dr. Lockhart Nelson, Jacob Schiley, A. E. Hough, John Matthews Capt. H. C. Dawson.

Dr. Lockhart Nelson--Clerk of the Vestry.

John Matthews--Treasurer of Parish.

Delegates to the Diocesan Convention at Springfield, Ohio, were elected as follows:

Dr. Lockhart Nelson, G. B. Beecher and John Matthews.

Alternates--Gen. Runkle, L. B. Boyd and Capt. H. C. Dawson.



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